

**BOARD OF VOCATIONAL NURSING
AND PSYCHIATRIC TECHNICIANS**

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**DISCIPLINARY BOARD MEETING**

DATE: Thursday, April 10, 2003

PLACE: Embassy Suites Hotel
150 Anza Blvd.
Embassy Ballroom
Burlingame, CA 94010
(650) 342-4600
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TIME: 9:30 a.m.

1. Hearings.
 - A. Onwuka, Johnny
 - B. Plameras-Beebe, Ellen
 - C. Stewart, Karen
 - D. Thornbury, David
 - E. Villanueva, Lucito
 - F. Denny, Patricia
 - G. Pascale, Cathy
2. Closed Session - Hearings Deliberations (not open to public), Government Code Section 11126(c)(3).
3. Closed Session - Examinations, Disciplinary Actions (not open to public), Government Code Section 11126(c)(1) and 11126(c)(3).
4. Closed Session - Pending Litigation, California Nurses Association vs. Teresa Bello-Jones and the Board of Vocational Nursing and Psychiatric Technicians (not open to public), Government Code Section 11126(e)(1).

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**REGULAR BOARD MEETING**

DATE: Friday, April 11, 2003

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TIME: 8:30 a.m.

1. Call to Order.
2. Introduction of Board Members and Staff.
3. Introduction of Accredited Schools Represented at Meeting.
4. Information Only: President's Message.
Board President
 - A. Board Procedures
 - B. Public Comment
5. Information Only: Executive Officer's Report.
Teresa Bello-Jones, Executive Officer
6. Approve/ Not Approve/ Modify: Consent Calendar Items.
 - A. Adoption of February 21, 2003, Board Meeting Minutes.
 - B. Ratification of Executive Officer's Actions Regarding Vocational Nursing and Psychiatric Technicians Relative to Applications; Licenses; Enforcement; Faculty; and Facilities.

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- C. Ratification of Nursing Education Consultants' Reports Concerning Authorization of Minor Program Changes for Vocational Nursing and Psychiatric Technician Programs.
7. Approve/ Not Approve/ Modify: Legislative Committee Report.
Ronald Franklin, Legislative Committee Chair
- Assembly Bills 200; 253; 746; 1145; 1777; and Senate Bills 143; 252; 358; 847.
8. Adoption of 2003 Strategic Plan.
Teresa Bello-Jones, Executive Officer
9. Approve/ Not Approve/ Modify: Nursing Education Consultants' Recommendations Regarding Vocational Nursing and Psychiatric Technician Programs.
Ann Shuman, Supervising Nursing Education Consultant
- A. Butte Community College Vocational Nursing Program – Report of Program Records Survey for Continued Accreditation; and Request to Increase Class Size.
 - B. California Paramedical and Technical College, Long Beach, Vocational Nursing Program – Report of Initial Accreditation Survey Visit; and Request to Admit Students.
 - C. Career Care Institute Vocational Nursing Program - Report of Initial Accreditation Survey; and Request to Replace Graduating Students.
 - D. Casa Loma College, Los Angeles, Vocational Nursing Program - Request to Admit Students.
 - E. Concorde Career Institute, San Bernardino/Kaiser Hospital, Woodland Hills, Vocational Nursing Program - Report of Initial Accreditation Survey Visit; and Request to Admit Students.
 - F. Copper Mountain College Vocational Nursing Program – Request to Admit Students; and Request for On-Going Admissions.
 - G. Four-D Success Academy Vocational Nursing Program - Request to Admit Students.

- H. Hanford Adult School Vocational Nursing Program - Report of Program Records Survey for Continued Accreditation.
 - I. Mission College Psychiatric Technician Program - Placement on Provisional Accreditation.
 - J. Nursing Care Providers, South San Francisco, Vocational Nursing Program – Request to Admit Students.
 - K. Pacific College Vocational Nursing Program - Request to Admit Students.
 - L. Preferred College of Nursing, Los Angeles, Vocational Nursing Program - Request to Begin a Vocational Nursing Program.
 - M. Santa Rosa Junior College Psychiatric Technician Program – Request for Major Curriculum Revision.
 - N. Summit Career College Vocational Nursing Program – Request to Admit Students; and Request to Increase Frequency of Admissions.
 - O. Visalia Adult School Vocational Nursing Program – Report of Program Records Survey for Continued Accreditation.
 - P. Western Career College, San Leandro - Request to Begin a Vocational Nursing Program.
10. Public Comment Period.

[Individuals may appear before the Board at this time to discuss items not on the agenda; however, the Board can take no official action on these items. Government Code Section 11125.7(a).]

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